MILITARY NOTICES. GRAYS, ATTENTION.—Assemble at a regimental armory FRIDAY EVENING FORM, June 1st, at 8 o'clock, in full-dress uni-form, for business and inspection. By order of Heaptain L. J ROSSIEUX. W. G. STOKES, any 31-2t Orderly Sergeant.

form, for bu-iness and insp Captain L. J ROSSIEUX. 10V 31-2t AMUSEMENTS.

OUR HEIRESS-

A LOCAL BURLESQUE OPERAwill be performed at the RICHMOND THEATRE,

TWO NIGHTS ONLY-

FRIDAY, JUNE 8TH, AND MONDAY, JUNE 11TH. Admission, 50c. Reserved seats, 75c. Box-sheet will be opened at WYATT's music-store. Due notice M., 82; midnight, 79. je 1-F.Tu,Th,&td will be given.

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This beautiful Cautata, at the earnest solicitation of many friends, will be repeated on FRIDAY NIGHT, JUNE 18T, VIRGINIA OPERA-HOUSE.

In order that all may have the opportunity of sec-ing and hearing this exquisite fairy scene and song tickets will be reduced to 50 cents. Reserved seats can be procured at WYATT'S music-tore without extra charge. my 31-2t

PICHMOND THEATRE. ONE NIGHT ONLY-FRIDAY, JUNE 1ST, at which time will be presented a grand melange, known as the great melo-crama,

COURT FESTIVAL. Singing, Dancing, Acting, Tableaux, &c., by upwards of one hundred performers, under the management of the Misses Webster, Admission, 25c.; reserved seats, 50c. Tickets for sale by the participants and at C. F. Johnston's. at 7 o'clock. Performance com-my 31-2t

EXCURSIONS.

PACURSION TO WEST POINT.

An excursion train will have the depot of the Richmond, York River and Chesapeake railroad at 5 o'clock A. M., returning, leave West Point at 5 o'clock P. M., SUNDAY, June 3, 1877.

This affords an excellent opportunity to persons wishing to spend a pleasant day in the country, where they can only the fresh air, salt-water bathing fresh overters and crabs. ne. fresh oysters, and crabs.
The train will be in charge of the well-known excursionist, Mr. S. R. Perdue.
Fare for the round trip, \$1.
my 31-3t

FESTIVALS.

CTRAWBERRY FESTIVAL.

The ladies of Broad-Street Methodist church will continue a STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL at their church corner of Tenth and Broad streets, on MON-DAY NIGHT. May 28th, to continue every night during the week. Fine Strawberries, excellent week. ream, and other attractions.

ADIES' FEAST.

THIRD PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, CORNER BROAD AND TWENTY-SIXTH STREETS. On each EVENING of this week until Saturday on each EVESTOR of the ladies of this church will be presared to furnish EFRESHMENTS and many useful articles in the They invite the aid of the public and promise value received.

my 31-2t

PERSONAL.

LL PERSONS ARE WARNED NOT A to trust any of the crew of the Norwegian bark KONG OSCAR II., as the captain or consignor will not be responsible for any debts contracted by them. CURTIS & PARKER, my 30-3t*

PROPOSALS. O CARPENTERS AND BUILDERS-Tencers are invited for the erection of a church on the Midlothian turnpike. Chesterfield, eight mites from Richmond. For particulars, &c., apply to be. Mil.L.S. at his residence. Chesterfield, or at his office, custom-bouse. Richmond. je 1-1t*

MILLINERY GOODS. BARGAINS! BARGAINS. — All and BONNETS will find the cheapest at MBS. C. C. THOMPSON'S, 408 Broad, between Fourth and Fifth streets, when the streets we have a supposite Wenzel's.

opposite Wenz Country orders promptly filled. GOODS of the LATEST STYLES, comined with the BEST QUALITY at the very LOWEST PRICES, go to or order from MRS. F. HUTZLER'S. 525 Broad street, between Fifth and Sixth my 30 Richmond, V

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FOR SALE ONE SPRING-DRAY, nearly new R. Hill. my 30-W,F&M3t* 117 Eighteenth street. FOR SALE, TWO KETTLES,

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THE BEST BLACK WRITING-INKS, The best WRITING-FLUIDS. The best COPYING-INKS,

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Agent for a Virginia manufactory of SASH.
BLINDS, DOORS, and MOULDINGS, which we recommend equal to the best sold in this market, and
at prices much lower than usual rates. The trade
will find it to their laterest to examine our stock before purchasing. Can fill orders for any of the
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RICHMOND, VA., FRIDAY MORNING, JUNE 1, 1877.

Richmond Dispatch.

THE CIRCULATION OF THE DISPATCE S LARGER THAN THE COMBINED CIRCU-LATION OF ALL THE OTHER DAILY NEWS PAPERS OF THE CITY

WEATHER REPORT. lowed by falling barometer, winds variable, but mostly from the south and west, slight

change in temperature, clearer or partly loudy weather, and possibly occasional For the South Atlantic and East Gulf States, stationary pressure, stationary or

mostly from east and south, and clear or partly cloudy weather. For the West Gulf States, slight change in pressure or temperature, southerly winds,

partly cloudy weather, and rain areas. For Tennessee and the Ohio Valley, stationary or slowly-falling barometer, southerly winds, nearly stationary temperature, clear or partly cloudy weather, followed at west stations by increasing cloudiness and

THE WEATHER YESTERDAY Was clear and warm. THERMOMETER YESTERDAY: 6 A. M., 56

9 A. M., 69; noon, 82; 3 P. M., 84; 6 P.

LOCAL MATTERS.

THE VISIT OF THE POSTAL COMMISSION TO RICHMOND.—A meeting of the delegates from the commercial and trade organizations of the city appointed to make arrangements for the reception of Postmaster-General Key | had children except under peculiar circumand the Postal Commission was held in the rooms of the Chamber of Commerce last character, without children, will take one evening. General Logan was called to the of our boys at his table and in his house, chair. It was agreed that the Richmond and promise to make him a farmer, we see Exchange Hotel; that at 81 o'clock there be a meeting of business-men in the hall of the House of Delegates, the Mayor to preside; and that to-morrow the visitors be shown the city and entertained at a lunch. A commembers of the commission are accompa- for any year of the Society's history. nied by ladies of their families. The Richceive the visitors of the fair sex.

The postal party will probably arrive here at 5 o'clock this evening, and it is their pur-pose to leave for Washington to-morrow him that he never rallied. His brother, who afternoon at 2 or 3 o'clock.

nesday night. Mr. Janney was very well known and highly esteemed in this city, was brought to Richmond so that he might was brought to Richmond so the richmond so that he might was brought to Richmond years. He was a miller by trade, came to Richmond about the year 1832, and took furnished him by the Society in the long charge of Rutherford's old mill, on the canal two miles west of the city. The walls of path on the canal, in a picturesque locality, the manufacture of flour brought him into position in the Gallego mills, then probably was soon after made head-miller, a place which he filled up to the time of his removal

Mr. Janney was a well-known and consistent member of the Society of Friends, He was universally respected and esteemed his loss will be severely felt.

death.

He will be buried to-day from his former residence.

THE APPROPRIATION ORDINANCE. - At the last meeting of the Board of Aldermen Mr. Charles L. Todd presented a resolution requesting the City Attorney to inform the Board whether the Auditor of the city can pay out money for any purpose until the Council has matured and passed the usual appropriation ordinance. It is understood that the City Attorney will report that the Council can from time to time order the payment of claims for supplies and services without any appropriation bill, and that the Auditor is authorized to pay without such an ordinance as has of late years been passed by the Council.

THE REVENUE COLLECTORSHIP .- The resignation of Cellector White, as requested by the President, is to take effect on the 1st of July; but it is expected that the new appointment will be made early in June: Mr. Russell has returned to the city. His friends are confident that he will be given the position of collector.

SEIZURE OF MATCHES .- The Internal Revenue Department at Washington has issued orders for the seizure of all the double packages of matches put up by A. Goldback, of this city, upon which there is but a one-cent stamp. The Department thinks that each of these packages should pay two cents revenue. Judge Hughes some time Church, he confessed he was better than ago decided that these packages ought to be taxed only one cent. The revenue officers say that until Judge Hughes is sustained by a higher court the orders of the Department will guide them.

THE MOFFETT REGISTER .- Gentlemen prominently connected with the Liquor-Dealers' Association say that they have found a way to prevent the Moffett register from being put into use by the State authorities. They feel confident about it.

THE LEE-COUNTY TROUBLES, AGAIN .-The Commonwealth's attorney has written the Governor a full statement of the recent troubles in Lee county. In the main, it corresponds with the account given by Mr.

Major Hotchkiss are holding teachers' institutes in Piedmont Virginia.

In a day or two Postmaster Forbes will

a brief visit to Hampton, Old Point, &c. dividual trials and embarrassments the early struggles of our societies may be instruct-

MALE ORPHAN ASYLUM.

NNIVERSARY CELEBRATION-REPORT OF THE PRESIDENT AND HISTORY OF THE IN-STITUTION-ADDRESSES BY COLONEL EVANS, REV. DR. EDWARDS, AND REV. MR. MCGILVRAY-ELECTION OF OFFICERS FOR THE ENSUING YEAR.

Rev. Dr. Edwards; after which the Presi- and boarded in a private family on Union dent presented his report, as follows:

RICHMOND, May 31, 1877. Ladies and Gentlemen of the Society,higher temperature, winds variable, but At the last annual meeting of the Society, held exactly one year ago, I was instructed by the Board to bind out as many boys as were of suitable age without delay, as our expenditures had exceeded our income by about \$1,000. I was also instructed not to take in any more boys until the number in the asylum has been reduced. It was very difficult to carry out this last instruction strictly, because I met with some cases of such absolute destitution that I could only have sent the boys to the almshouse, from whence they would have been sent to us, as we have agreed with the Council of the city to take all boys they might send us in consideration of the city appropriation to our support.

It is the easiest matter in the world to put out boys in any number, but to put them to proper and safe places is a very difficult matter. I have so many application from the country for "cow-boys" that I do not pretend to answer half of them, having stated in several of our annual reports, and published in our city papers, that the Society would not put boys with farmers who stances. If a farmer, well-to-do and of good committee should leave the Danville depôt no objection. But the chances for the on a special train at 12 o'clock to-day to meet the visitors at Burkville, and return minding cows, living in an out-house with with them to the city and escort them to the negroes, and doomed to dig the balance of his life at ten dollars a month, are not very promising.

We have gotten, we hope, good homes for seventeen boys during the past year-some with mechanics, others with merchants, and mittee was also appointed to prepare busi- a few with farmers. This is the largest ness for the meeting to-night. Some of the number apprenticed for many years, if not

On the 31st of last May we had in the asylum to-day, 70. One of the boys who died was so enfec-

was received year before last, lived but a short while after entering the asylum. It and medicine and medical attendance was

illness that ended in death. The more we think of the probable futhe old mill are still standing near the tow- ture of our boys the more are we satisfied of the great importance of the formation in and last summer were well-nigh covered them of habits of industry. They have no with ivy. His fine business capacity and patrimony. Their own hands and heads accurate knowledge of all that pertained to must win. An orphan boy is alone in the world. It is as important to teach his hands notice, and in a few years he was given a to work as his head to think. Except in extraordinary times like the present it is the largest flour-mills in the country. He not often that a truly industrious youth is long out of work. I know of a number of cases in this city illustrative of this remark. to the country. About the year 1861 he As stated in our last report, we had hoped purchased a mill in the county of Lou- to put the boys to making match-boxes down and removed there just about the time again, but finding the factory in the city of the breaking out of the war. He would not be reopened we looked about for was appointed agent to the Santee Indians other employment. We tried "shoe-fitby General Grant upon the inauguration of ting" awhile, but could not find sufficient his peace policy towards the Indians; but demand here for the work. We have lately after two years' service so far from home commenced the manufacture of "cigars," he returned to his native county, and, pur- with every prospect of success. I was glad the chasing a residence in the little village of other day to see the superintendent settle Lincoln, resided there up to the time of his in part a large grocery-bill with cigars from our factory at \$25 per thousand. It is astonishing to see how readily some of our boys learn to make a cigar. We hope in and always were the plain garb of that sect. twelve months to have thirty good cigarmakers, who ought to earn in the four for his upright and honest character, and hours' work daily required of them fifty cents a day. This calculation seems moderate, yet the revenue from this amount of work would about pay all the expenses of the asylum.

Our plan is to divide the day into three parts of four hours each: First, for study; second, for work; and third, for recreation. This system I have seen carried out elsewhere, and with great success. At first sight there was some objection to the manufacture of cigars, as it was feared the boys might acquire a fondness for the use of tobacco; but we think we have taken measures to prevent this. There is really no need that a man or a boy either who is engaged in the manufacture of arsenic should take a dose to see how it acts.

The principal reason that decided us to manufacture cigars was the fact that Richmond being a great tobacco centre, we expected to find no difficulty in selling all the cigars we might make. The work is also light and well suited to boys. The superintendent of the factory is well acquainted with the business, and works himself at the bench while instructing the boys. The boys are highly pleased with the work.

A few months ago a gentleman brought to my office a fine-looking young man, with a face indicating character, and introduced him to me as "Robert." This young man bad been bound to him six years ago by our Society. The gentleman said he was one of the best young men of his acquaintance; that though Robert was not a member of the himself, though long a member; and he wished to know whether it was necessary to pass any legal papers between us. I told him no; that if Robert was now of age, and had done his duty, he might, if he thought proper, give him \$100 to begin life with. He said he would do so cheerfully, and would like also to employ him to take charge of his farm next year.

I mention this case for the benefit of those boys who have lately been put out, and for others who may soon be apprenticed. Not all the boys, I am sorry to say, are as honorable as Robert. So soon as they learn enough to make their labor worth fifty or seventy-five cents a day they take the cars and are heard of no more. This idea they often get, I am sorry to say, from older heads. The want of good faith in the boys makes it much more difficult to get them PERSONAL .- Superintendent Ruffner and good trades. This was not the case twentyfive years ago. An apprenticeship then meant something. One of our most worthy Mr. Michael Burns, who was thrown from and wealthy citizens has often told me that his apprenticeship faithfully, and with this luck to him. certificate in his pocket he never had any prepare his bond and forward it to Wash- difficulty in getting work. Let journeymen

Struggles of our societies may be instructive. In looking over the old records a few days ago I was interested in the trials and difficulties encountered by its early friends.

UNMAILABLE LETTERS REMAINING IN THE Franklin street.

RICHMOND POST-OFFICE MAY 31, 1877.—
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Miss Rosy Nunley, Richmond, Va.; Mr. John P. HARLOW.

Bell cantata will be repeated at the Virginia Bell cantata will be repeated at the Virginia My 81-41*

JOHN P. HARLOW.

RICHMOND POST-OFFICE MAY 31, 1877.—
LILY BELL CANTATA.—To-night the Lily Bell cantata will be repeated at the Virginia My 81-41*

JOHN P. HARLOW.

RICHMOND POST-OFFICE MAY 31, 1877.—
Miss Rosy Nunley, Richmond, Va.; Mr. Vandydifficulties encountered by its early friends. Confirmation.—To-morrow morning at difficulties encountered by its early friends.

So o'clock Masters Edward and Henry, twin sons of Mr. Joseph Cohn, will be confirmed at the Portuguese Jewish synagogue.

Convict Received.—Frederick Gilliam, of Nansemond county, four years for grand larceny, was received at the penitentiary yesterday.

Salamonci, Richmond, Va.; Mr. Validy difficulties encountered by its early friends.

Ladies' Feast.—To-night the feast at the Strawberry festival.—The ladies of the difference will be continued by the ladies, who are endeavoring to used by the ladies, who are endeavoring to used by the ladies, who are endeavoring to the benefit of the church. It is a worthy cause, and will doubtless balls and the continuence of the case at the Opera-House. Reserved seats may be had opera-House. Strawberger of the calculations of the strawberger of the calcul

sher, J. C. Crane, and James Allen; Mon-roe Ward-Messrs. J. J. Fry, H. L. Kent, and Albert Snead. The first meeting of the The anniversay celebration of the Male city, have all gone to their reward. Their from three instruments-one filled with al-Orphan Asylum and annual meeting of the names, are not now mentioned once in a cohol, the others with mercury-and each Society took place last night in the lecture- twelve-month on the streets of the city room of the Centenery Methodist church where they labored to help their fellow-man dle Atlantic States, stationary or rising foland Female Orphan Asylums, and a num- lasting remembrance" in heaven. This ber of friends of the two institutions. The ward committee failed. A second effort exercises were opened with prayer by the succeeded better, and a few boys were taken

> When the war came on the Society had grown considerably, and had fifty boys under its care, on corner of Baker and St. James streets. These fifty boys were instructed and cared for admirably by Mrs. Saunders and her niece, and it is remarkable how well it was done by so small a force. With the war came also troubles to the Society. A resolution was offered during the war to scatter the boys through the country among their relatives or friends if they had any. It was found that two boys had a father in 'Castle Thunder" (a Yankee prisoner of war); and so hard up was the Society that a committee was appointed to see the father and inquire whether he would take his sons with him North if he should be exchanged. Mrs. Saunders, the energetic matron, dis-

covered that "Mr. Schwartz had 600 pounds

of beef which he would sell to the Society

for the low price of seven dollars and fifty cents a pound." The matter was brought solemnly before the Board, and an order was entered that the "bargain be closed.' At the close of the war there were eighteen boys in the asylum. Collectors were appointed to solicit money from the citizens to support them. The Society struggled on faint but yet pursuing. In October, 1868, the treasury was empty, winter was approaching, bills to the amount of \$400 remained unpaid, and twenty-two boys were to be supported. The prospect was gloomy indeed. A rearrangement of the forces was made, and a new line of march begun. Since then, by the blessing of God and the benefactions of several friends, the struggle for existence has ceased, and the Society, like a weary pilgrim, now rests securely under her own vine and fig-tree.

We do not wish it understood that we are entirely independent. Some of our securities have depreciated. We might also enlarge our institution. Fifteen hundred dollars invested will support an orphan boy and educate him. One boy educated and mond committeemen were requested to take asylum 79 boys; since received, 10—making trained every five years would seem a good with them to Burkville their ladies to re- 89; put out, 17; died, 2—remaining in the return for so small a sum. We hope some ment.

Our six-acre garden is in high state of cultivation, and supplies us with abundance of vegetables. Three cows furnish us milk. The boys continue to attend the various is sad to think of two orphans dying indi- Sabbath schools of the city. They are mation was received here yesterday of the rectly from famine within sound of so many under the instruction during the week of Christian church-bells. This mother loved two faithful teachers, and the whole asylum at his residence in Loudoun county on Wed- her children well, but not wisely. The is under the active superintendence of Mr. and died at the advanced age of seventy-five be under the constant care of his mother, valuable and gratuitous medical services at the asylum. The Society owe him a debt of gratitude. Dr. Moseley has consented to succeed Dr. Pollard.

From the treasurer's report it will be seen that the whole cost of supporting the asylum last year was \$6,223.08, with an average of seventy-five boys during the year. The cost of supporting each was \$83. The balance against the Society is \$195.36. We incurred several hundred dollars extra expense in starting our eigar-factory. WILLIAM W. PARKER.

The report was adopted. Brief addresses were delivered by Colonel Thomas J. Evans, Rev. Dr. J. E. Ed-

wards, and Rev. Mr. McGilvray. The following officers were elected: President, Dr. W. W. Parker; Vice-Presidents, A. T. Harris, Thomas D. Quarles, Thomas Branch, Dr. W. N. Gwathmey; Treasurer, T. W. McCance; Secretary, H D. Danforth; Managers, Thomas J. Todd, J. B. Cary, W. C. Mayo, Dr. W. P. Palmer, W. H. Pleasants, R. R. Richardson, T. N. Wilkinson, U. G. Hoyt, Dr. F. T. Willis, and S. H. Hawes

The meeting then adjourned. The singing by the orphan children was greatly enjoyed by all present.

INTERESTING TO HUSTINGS COURT JURORS Deputy-Sergeant Holzinger will be at his office in the City Hall to-day to pay off the petit jurors of the Hustings Court for the May term of the court. The following is a list of the grand jurors

of the Hustings Court drawn to serve during the July term of the court, which commences on Monday next : Samuel W. Harwood, Alex. Hierholzer, E. H. Chamberlayne, Sr., L. W. Rose, Peter W. Grubbs, V. A. Favier, John H. Tyler, James L. Taliaferro, Samuel S. Cottrell, J. J. Pendle-

THE DIACONT CASE .- The Diacont suit for damages against the Fredericksburg Railroad Company was partially argued in the Circuit Court of Richmond vesterday, and continued, as Mr. P. V. Daniel was unwell. Mr. Diacont sets his damages at \$8,000, on account of injuries to his son, necessitating the amputation of one foot, caused by a train of defendants' cars while moving along upper Broad street. plaintiffs alleged and introduced evidence to prove carelessness on the part of the company's servants. The defendants claim, and brought forward witnesses to demonstrate, that the accident was through no fault of theirs or their employes. The jury will decide.

POLICE COURT, YESTERDAY-Police-Justice Joseph J. White presiding .- B. L. Delerondes, for feloniously assaulting and cutting Beverly Williams with a hatchet, was committed to jail to await action of the

grand jury. Beverly Williams and Samuel Dunnayant, charged with trespassing on the premises of and assaulting and abusing B. L. Delerondes. Williams was fined \$5 and Dunnavant \$2.50.

William Thompson alias Hicks, charged with defacing the property of and stealing one lock from John Rankin. The case was continued until Friday. Cæsar Griffin (colored), assaulting and beating his wife, Pauline Griffin, was dis-

charged. CANE PRESENTATION .- Mr. John Moffett, foreman of the machine department of the Tredegar Works, was last evening pre-

sented with a handsome gold-headed cane by those who have been working under him for a number of years—several for twentyfive years. The presentation speech was made by Mr. George Perrini, and remarks by Messrs. A. G. and H. C. Osterbin and F. E. Walters. Mr. Moffett responded feelingly. He goes to the Chesapeake and Obio Railroad shops after thirty years' slightly hurt. He was out and lively res- his early life is the fact that he served out service at the Tredegar Works. Good the Misses Webster. The proceeds will be

exeursion train will leave the depôt of the

May Statistics. METEOROLOGICAL.

The following table shows the reading Board of Directors was held in Rev. Dr. of the thermometer for the month of Stiles's church, corner of Eighth and Frank- May, 1877. from observations taken at days; 5:15 P. M. daily from Byrd-Street lin streets, on the 26th of May, 1846. Pres- sunrise each day; also the minimum and station; 4:30 P. M. daily, except Sunday, ent: Samuel Taylor, Esq., president; Isaac Davenport, Samuel Reeve, J. J. Fry, Richard Whitfield, and William Sands. These vations were taken at an elevated posi-Christian men, once so well known in this tion in the eastern portion of the city, and cept Sundays. marking the same, or very nearly so, there

scarcely ever being more than the difference

CONDITION OF THE Mint-

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of a degree between them.

WRATHER.	mum.	Sunrise.	mum.
May 1-Partly cloudy	48	49	56
2-Clear	39	38	61
4-Clear	44	44.	69
5-Clear	47	47	65
6-Cloudy	48	48	61
7—Cloudy 8—Cloudy	50	50	55
9—Cloudy	46	46	54
10-Clear	44	44	66
11-Clear	45	45	63
12-Clear	50	80	56
14—Clear	55	55	78
15-Clear	52	52	76
16-Clear	. 53	53	78
17-Clear	63	63	87
18—Clear	61	61	94
20-Clear	63	63	96
21-Clear	63	63	99
22-Clear	64	64	98 .
23-Clear 24-Clear	45	48	86
25-Clear	42	42	72
26-Clear	46	46	76
27—Clear	52 51	52 52	72 86
29-Clear	51	51	81
30-Clear	50	50	79
31-Clear	49	1 49	1 86

FLOUR INSPECTED.

The following is a statement of the flour nspected in Richmond during the month ending 31st May, 1877: Family, 792 barrels; extra superfine, 2,387 barrels; super-fine, 661 barrels; fine, 223 barrels; middlings, 14 barrels; condemned, 121 barrels.

CORONER'S CASES. Coroner Taylor's duties have not been very arduous during the past month. He has, however, been called upon to "sit upon" ten dead bodies. One of these was the old negro man who died at the lime-kiln. and another was the case of a youth who was drowned. There were no cases of suicide reported in the city. FIRE-ALARMS.

The Fire Department was called out to respond to six alarms during the month of May.

MARRIAGES.

During the past month the clerk of the Hustings Court has issued sixteen marriage licenses to white persons and nineteen licenses to colored couples. During the same period fifteen licenses were issued from the clerk's office of the

Henrico County Court-eight to white and

seven to colored couples. DEEDS RECORDED. The clerk of the Chancery Court for this city has received 282 deeds for record du-

ring the month ending vesterday. In the clerk's office of the Henrico County Court fifty-nine deeds were received for re-

POLICE-COURT STATISTICS. During the past month the Police Justic disposed of 329 criminal charges, and tried 152 cases of ordinance violations. On criminal charges, 22 persons were sent on to the Hustings Court for indietment by the grand jury, 9 persons were convicted of assault and battery, and 22 committed to jail in default of surety for their good behavior. Fines collected: City, \$258.50; State, \$106; costs, \$70.10. Total, \$434.60.

or five hundred excursionists from Suffork and points between that place and Petersburg spent the day, or the greater part of it, in Richmond yesterday. They visited the Capitol and other points of interest. A considerable number of them were received at the Executive mansion by Governor Kemper, who gave them a hearty welcome. Mr. Elam, of Suffolk, responded on behalf of the excursionists.

A clothing merchant said yesterday evening that this party spent more money in Richmond than any he had ever known. He judged by the sales he made to them. The excursionists seemed to be well pleased with their visit. The price per ticket for the round trip in this case, as in that of the Washingtonians, was only \$2. Each one who did not bring his or her lunch along had to expend about fifty cents more for dinner, making not more than \$2.50 as the total cost. At that rate our friends at a distance can well afford to come to Richmond to see its sights and to make any purchases they may desire.

OLD DOMINION BUSINESS COLLEGE .- The tenth annual session of this institution closed yesterday evening. The school is in a prosperous condition. During the session just closed there was an increased attendence of twelve per cent. over that of

The Business College has grown to occu py within the last twenty years a prominent place among the educational forces of the times. As per the report of the United States Commissioner of Education, the business schools of the country, during the year 1875, had a total attendance of 26,109 stu-

THE OPERA NEXT WEEK .- All will doubtless be pleased to learn that the day for the presentation of the local bouffe opera "Our Heiress" has been named. It will be presented at the Theatre on the evenings of Friday the 8th and Monday the 11th instant. This performance will be one of rare enjoyment, as the opera abounds in local hits and pleasing music. "Our Heiress" was written by Mr. Page McCarty, and is a we find in his work nothing overdone or tiresome. The action is spirited, and the recommend its use for medicinal and family purwhole thing, overture and all, can be performed easily in an hour and a half or an

hour and three quarters. The music is arranged by Professor C L. Siegel, and it is admirably well worked up. He is a genius in his way, and this effort is but another evidence of his superior musical talent. Much of the music is new, having been composed by Professor Siegel. The music, however, is wonderful in the respect of its humor, the constant contrast from the sentimental to the extremely ludicrous being marvelously tunny. Most of it consists in familiar airs, but the finale of the second act, by Flotow, is something remarkably fine, and, as far as we know, was never heard in Richmond before.

COURT FESTIVAL .- To-night an interest ing entertainment will be given at the Theatre. A grand mélange or melo-drama, Court Festival, will be presented. There will be singing, dancing, tableaux, &c., by more than one hundred performers, under the management of those indefatigable ladies seats may be had at Johnston's. Dolls' FAIR IN THE WEST-END .- The

NINTER AND TENTH STREETS, SOUTH BASIN,

SECONDARIAN SHINGLES, LATHS, and TO

BILL LUMBER CUT TO ORDER

Children of Moore Memorial chapel propose to have a fair for the benefit of the chapel, make their calling respectable. It is a bad sign, to say the least, to see a boy of six-teen or eighteen show little regard for his champion excursionist, will have charge of the excursion train.

York River and Chesapeake railroad on Sunday morning at 8 o'clock, and will reduce their calling respectable. It is a bad sign, to say the least, to see a boy of six-teen or eighteen show little regard for his champion excursionist, will have charge of the excursion train.

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CHANGE OF TIME ON THE FREDERICKSBURG ROAD.—On and after Monday next trains on the Fredericksburg road will leave on the Fredericksburg road will leave Richmond at 8:03 A. M. daily, except Sundays; 5:15 P. M. daily from Byrd-Street Station; 4:30 P. M. daily, except Sunday, rates. Apply to GEORGE W. WARREN.

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8:25 A. M. daily, except Sundays.

HANCHESTER NEWS.

Deeds Recorded-Licenses Issued .- The clerk of the Hustings Court recorded 29 deeds and issued 2 colored and 1 white marriage licenses for the past month. In the County Court 34 deeds were recorded and 3

Resignation .- Henry C. Ferguson, captain of Alert Fire Company, has resigned. The vacancy will be filled at the next regular monthly meeting.

Arrest of a Vagrant .- Charles Matthews colored) was yesterday arrested by Captain Lipscomb, charged with being a vagrant and a suspicious character. The prisoner also shows signs of lunacy.

day about midnight. Mr. Wright was popular with all who knew him, and leaves a large family. His remains will be taken today to Midlothian for interment. Maury Cemetery .- The city cemetery has been greatly improved and beautified lately.

It is visited every evening and on Sundays by large numbers of people. Pic-Nic .- Many of our citizens yesterday visited the pic-nics at Waymack's, Crys-

tal Spring, the Westham quarry, and elsewhere in the vicinity. Panola Park .- A park has been fitted up near Temple's, on the Richmond and Petersburg railroad, about six miles from Richmond. An excellent grove, good water,

Mere Mention .- The City Council meets to-night. Court for the trial of civil warrants to-day

at 94 o'clock.

THE TRUTH .-

Manchester who attended the Baptist General Association. The Manchester boys are making efforts to get up a military company. Great improvements are to be made at the Central House, on Hull street.

NATIONAL SURGICAL INSTITUTE .- The surgeons of this Institute from Atlanta, Ga., are now at Ford's Hotel, where they will remain until June 2d. They have with them a large assortment of surgical appliances. They will be pleased to see their old patients and any new ones who may wish to apply.

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istry, Medical College of Virginia.

AUCTION SALES THIS DAY.

Con all sales of Real Estate mo the 1st of January and last of June the taxes for the present year have to be paid by the purchaser On all sales made between the 1st of July and last of the year the taxes have to be paid by the seller [This custom was adopted about afteen years agony all the real estate agents in Richmond, and applies to Richmond and vicinity.]

ROBERT B. LYNE. 5 P. M., trustee's sale of lot or the north side of Marshall between Twenty-fifth and Twenty-sixth streets. RANK D. HILL, 6 P. M., trustee's sale of lots in B. DUESBERRY, 10% A. M., at store No. 912% Main street, store-fixtures, counters, shelving, fine shoes, &c., and unexpired lease.

AVENPORT & MORRIS, 11 A. M., cargo of Eastport herrings, sugar, bacon, sait, and other groceries. OHN MCCORMICK, 11 A. M., pawnbroker's AMES MACDOUGALL, 10 A. M., household fur-niture, piano, &c.

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